

John Roberts House
Kings Highway East
Haddonfield, Camden County, New Jersey

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Owner: J. David Stern

Date of Erection: 1813

Architect:

Builder: John Roberts

Present Condition: Excellent

Number of Stories: Two and one-half

Materials of Construction: Foundation - stone

Exterior walls - brick

Interior walls - plaster

Inside brick chimneys

Roof - pitch

Historical Data:

The builder of this house, John Roberts, obtained the land upon which he erected it from John and Rebecca Kay. By will of 1841, he left the property to his wife, and then at her decease to his grandson, John E. Roberts. Upon the death of the latter in 1871, the land descended to his three children. The property was sold by the heirs in 1909 to the Manheim Realty Company, who in 1910 sold the present lot with the house to Elizabeth T. Bayley for a consideration of \$4300; from

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her J. David Stern purchased in 1923 for \$20,000. The present owner is the publisher of the New York Evening Post, The Philadelphia Record, and The Camden Courier.

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